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Title: A COATED FILM LAMINATE HAVING AN ELECTRICALLY
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the outstanding Office Action, mailed September 10, 2003, in the above-identified application, and includes:

- Amendments to the Claims (pages 2-6);
- Remarks (pages 7-8);
- Conclusion (page 8).

This Amendment is believed to be timely submitted. It is believed that no extension fee is due; however, in the event a fee is required, please charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 13-3723. The additional claim fees should be charge to Deposit Account No. 13-3723 as indicated on the attached transmittal letter.

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Attached is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee for this amendment is computed as follows:

Claims As Amended						
(1)	(2) Claims Remaining After Amendment	(3)	(4) Highest No. Previously Paid For	(5) Present Extra	(6) Rate	(7) Additional Fee
Total Claims	36	Minus	** 46	0	x \$18.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims	6	Minus	*** 4	2	x \$86.00	\$168.00
Additional fee for filing one or more multiple dependent claims, if no such fee has been previously paid					\$290.00	
Total Additional Fee For This Amendment →						\$168.00
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Respectfully submitted,

12/08/2003
Date

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